



PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0109/002001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Shigeru MURAMATSU Art Unit: 2837
Application No.: 10/809,385 Examiner: Leykin, R.
Filing Date: March 26, 2004
Title : PERFORMANCE INPUT APPARATUS

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2005,
applicant hereby submits the enclosed papers including an
Amendment under 37 CFR 1.111.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time for three (3) months to May 3, 2006, for filing a response to a response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application.

No extension of time has been previously obtained for filing the response. Thus a fee of \$1,020.00 for an extension of three months pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a) is required.

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Transmittal Letter and Petition for
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May 3, 2006

The required fees are calculated below:

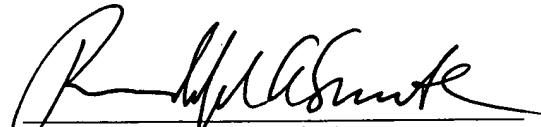
Total Claims	<u>11</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00
Independent	<u>1</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00

Three Months' Extension of Time Fee \$1,020.00

TOTAL FEE DUE: \$1,020.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO THE CREDIT CARD NUMBER LISTED ON THE ATTACHED CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM (PTO-2038 FORM), REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0109/002001. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS PAPER IS ENCLOSED. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: May 3, 2006

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